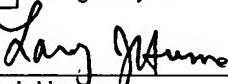




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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 22040-00017-US
Application No. 10/628,235-Conf. #4758	Filing Date July 29, 2003	Examiner D. R. Sellers	Art Unit 2644	
Applicant(s): Mamoru Kitamura				
Invention: AUDIO REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND METHOD				
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS				
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
CLAIMS AS AMENDED				
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate
Total Claims	15	- 20 =	0	x 0
Independent Claims	9	- 8 =	1	x 100.00 100.00
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Other fee (please specify): Two-Month Extension of Time (small entity) 225.00				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: \$325.00				
<input type="checkbox"/> Large Entity		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity		
<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0185 in the amount of \$ 325.00 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 22-0185 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.				
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 Larry J. Hume Dated: August 1, 2005				
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